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AMENDMENTS AND REMARKS

Responsive to the non-final action of the examiner dated April 26, 2000 having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire July 26, 2000, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

In the Figures:

Applicants request the examiner approve changes in the drawings as originally filed, in accordance with a copy of the original drawings with proposed changes marked in red. The copy is filed herewith. Substitute formal drawings

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